



The Livingstone Hotel once stood on Highway 36 between the old First State Bank building at the intersection with Highway 183 where Medley Motor Co. is now located. This photograph is on a picture postcard mailed from Rising Star in 1910 by the late Arthur Dukes to his mother in Duster. Dukes was helping lay the railroad line and was boarding at the hotel. He was the brother of M.J. Dukes of Rising Star who submitted the photo for publication.

## Church of Christ Hosts Meeting

The Church of Christ will be hosting a four day Gospel Meeting June 26th thru 29th. Brother J.C. Bailey will present the Word

of God in nine exciting lessons. He will present the first at 9:30 Sunday morning.

Everyone is invited to come and begin

their day with us in a short devotional each morning Monday thru Wednesday at 7:30 a.m. Brother Bailey comes to us from Hampton, Virginia.

## Birthday Reception Set for Julia Townsend



Julia Townsend will be honored at an 80th birthday reception.

The children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of Julia Townsend are hosting a surprise come-and-go 80th birthday reception in her honor on Sunday, June 26, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. The reception will be held in the

Activity Building of First Baptist Church of Rising Star.

Friends and other relatives of Julia Townsend are invited to attend the birthday reception. Family members ask that no gifts be brought.

## Luther Forbes' Family Plans Birthday Celebration

Friends and relatives of Luther Forbes are invited to share in celebrating his 86th birthday June 25, 3 to 5 p.m., at the

Community Room of the First State Bank.

His children are hosting the event and ask that no gifts be brought.

## Minutes of RSISD Board Meeting

Rising Star Independent School District Regular Meeting June 15, 1983, 116 N. Main Street, Boardroom.

Members present: Jack Hubbard, David Harris, Dan Hughes, Sue Barnes, Joyce Baker, Terry Geye, and Joe Frank McCollum.

School Personnel present: Gene Williams, Frank Gray, and Weldon Hill.

Others present: Ferrell Newton and Scott Edgington.

Business: Call to order by the President, Jack Hubbard declaring that before item 3B (Personnel) the meeting will go into executive session in order to discuss personnel.

1. Motion by Jack Hubbard second by Joe McCollum to approve the minutes of May 9, 1983 meeting as read.

Motion carried.

2. Communications: (a) Discussion Accreditation presented by Scott Edgington and Ferrell Newton, Tesc team, (b) Discussion Count Litigation, (c) Discussion TASB, and (d) Table Continental Telephone Maintenance agreement by general consent of the board.

3. Regular business: (a) Motion by Terry Geye second by Joyce Baker that the bills incurred by the Rising Star ISD be ordered paid. Motion carried, (b) President, Jack Hubbard declares the meeting to be in an executive session in order to discuss personnel. President, Jack Hubbard declared executive session over and the open meeting to reconvene, (c) Motion by Sue Barnes second by Jack Hubbard that the resignations of

Pete and Betty Stone be accepted. Motion carried, and (d) Discussion Teacher Vacancies.

4. Old Business: (a) Motion by David Harris second by Joe McCollum to contract with Smith Varette & Co. for the Fy 82-83 year Audit. Motion Carried, (b) Motion by Sue Barnes second by Danny Hughes to contract with The Eastland Co. Appraisal District for the Assessment of Taxes. Motion carried, and (c) Motion by Joe McCollum second by Terry Geye to adopt the Jr. High Cheerleader Policy. Motion carried.

5. New and Misc. Business: (a) Discussion; Budget Considerations Fy 82-83.

6. Reports of Accounts

—continued inside

## The City of Rising Star Oil Field Supply Business Opens in Rising Star

At the regular session of the Rising Star City Council on Tuesday, June 14, it was voted and passed unanimously to set the minimum water rate at \$6.00 for the first two (2) thousand gallons; each thousand gallons thereafter will remain at \$2.50 as it is at the present time. This price will be effective with the August 1 billing.

We are hoping that this increase will be enough revenue to meet the increased water expenses.

Next Monday night, June 27, the Council will meet in a special called meeting, and if you, the citizens, have any questions, please attend and discuss them with the council. Doris R. Griffin, Mayor

## City Receives Tax Rebate

Austin-State Comptroller Bob Bullock sent checks totaling \$43.8 million in local sales tax payments to 974 cities that levy the one-percent sales tax.

"The cities who lean most heavily on oil and gas for their local receipts are still suffering, but the rest of the state is beginning to make up for the drops in revenue we saw earlier this year," Bullock said. So far this year, local sales tax cities have received \$353.5 million, less than one percent behind the total paid by this time last year.

The June checks were for taxes collected on sales made in April and reported to the Comptroller by the end of May.

The City of Rising

Star received \$574.54 this period compared to \$1,052.82 for the same period last year. To date in 1983, Rising Star has received \$10,543.13, a drop of 2.19% below the \$10,779.71 received by this date in 1982.

The other sales tax cities in Eastland County also have had smaller tax payments compared to 1982; to date, Cisco's dropped 3.49%, Eastland's 7.58%, Gorman's 18.59% and Ranger's dropped 18.51%.

Neighboring Cross Plains in Callahan County received \$1,754.88 this period, compared to \$1,732.60 for this period last year, and \$26,055.86 to date in 1983, a drop of 37.05% below payments to date in 1982.

## police blotter..

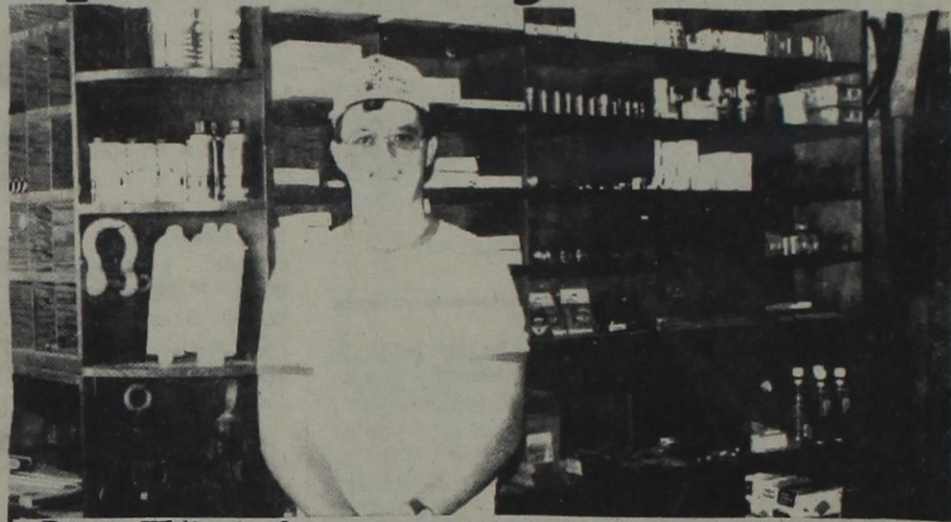
Bramlett Implementation, Inc. in Rising Star, Texas, was burglarized and set fire May 23, 1983. Value of merchandise and fire damage estimated at \$20,000.00. Eastland County Sheriff's Department arrested two subjects. Deputies Delbert Biggs and Ben Sancillo worked the burglary and Sheriff Morren went to Dallas to pick up the subject's,

## Social Security Representative Will Be Here June 27

The Social Security Administration reminds the public that most Social Security business can be handled by telephone. To report a change of address, death, work activities, etc., call 915/698-1360; for SSI information, call 915/695-1240; and for information regarding

Charging them with Burglary of a building. Both subjects have made bonds.

The Snak Shak was burglarized four times. The Eastland County Sheriff's Department set up a stakeout after the third burglary. Deputy Delbert Biggs was on stakeout when the fourth burglary occurred. He arrested one person on the charge of burglary, solving three of the burglaries.



Darren White stands near some of the items All-Star Pump & Supply offers for sale at 122 S. Main in Rising Star.

All-Star Pump & Supply, Inc., 122 S. Main St., recently opened for business in Rising Star. The business is owned by Lowell Martin of Odessa and managed by C.E. Morris of Eula. Morris has had many years of experience in the oil field supply business. Darren White and Greg Hailey, both of Rising Star, are employed as sales and delivery men.

A general stock of oil field supplies and

equipment are in the store, including such items as belts for pumping units, pressure gauges, nipples, fittings, valves and an assortment of nuts, bolts and fuses. All-Star Pump & Supply also carries supplies such as gloves, hard hats, hand cleaner and hand tools for oil field workers. Items such as water coolers, flashlights and gas cans are also kept in stock. Any supplies or equipment not in stock can be ordered for the customer, said White.

The store will have a stock of hydraulic hoses, up to two inches in size, in about three weeks, White added.

Plans are underway to put in a down hole pump shop within the next few weeks. The shop will handle sales of new pumps and redressing used pumps.

All-Star Pump & Supply invites oil-related businesses to purchase supplies and equipment from them. Telephone numbers are 643-4300 and 643-5610.

## Guys & Dolls Golf Tourney Set at Lakewood

The Lakewood Recreation Center golf course on State Highway 36, midway between Cross Plains and Rising Star, has been manicured to its finest condition in recent years as members look forward to the annual Guys & Dolls Golf Tournament scheduled this weekend, June 25 and 26.

Teams are expected from Abilene, Knox City, Baird/Clyde, Cisco, Eastland, Ranger, Brownwood and Coleman, as well as 10 or 12 duos from the host club.

A catered supper will be served at 7 o'clock in the clubhouse Saturday night for players and sponsors. A limited number of tickets will be available at \$4 each for guests of players.

Format of the tournament calls for scramble play both days. Teams will be flighted and pairings

announced in time for a Calcutta Pool immediately following Saturday night's supper.

Tournament committeemen are expect-

ing at least three flights of 10 or 12 teams each. Entry fee is \$40 per team. Additional information may be obtained by calling Juanita Harlow (817) 643-7792.

## IRS Delays Withholding Tax on Interest

Dallas—The Internal Revenue Service today (June 17) is granting to all payers of interest and dividend income an automatic one-month extension of the requirement to withhold tax scheduled to begin July 1, 1983. The automatic one-month extension is being granted to alleviate any undue hardship to payers.

This action is being

taken in light of the June 16, 1983, Senate action to repeal the withholding provisions which were enacted by the Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act of 1982. The IRS noted that there has been no final action concerning repeal. The Congress continues to consider expanded backup withholding and other compliance measures.

## N.A.R.F.E. Meets June 28

The June monthly meeting of N.A.R.F.E., federal retirees, will be at 5 p.m. Tuesday, June 28, at the pecan grove of Neil Eaves of Carbon for a picnic-type

meeting. Mr. Elmer Foster, president of the association, will preside over the meeting. Helen Donham, Reporter

## hospital notes

Janice and Billie D. Teel of Brownwood rushed to Dallas early Monday upon learning their son, Butch, was critically injured in an automobile accident.

Butch is the great-grandson of Mrs. Thelma Jenkins of Rising Star.

## Dr. Carpenter's Office

Will Be Closed For Vacation The Last Week In June And The First Week In July.

Close-June 24th 5:00 p.m.

Open-July 11th 9:00 a.m. R-26



### Senior Center News

Wednesday the Star Brites went to Stephenville to put on a program for the Senior Citizens Center. We had a lovely lunch and everyone gave us a big welcome. It really makes us feel good when we are shown appreciation for working hard to put on a program. There were 17 band members who made the trip. Geraldine Richter played with us; she is great on that guitar. Thank you so much for helping us out when our other guitar pickers were out.

Sunday George and Detta Webb celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. They had a very enjoyable day. All of their children were there and many more of their kinsmen. Our club give our congratulations to this couple.

Sarah and Red Chamberlain are busy with their fine garden and are getting a bit more done on their house they are redoing.

Nellie Morgan of De Leon was back to club Thursday; she is one of our Star Brite bandmembers.

M. G. Morton, Helen Mitchel and B. Morton went to Coleman Sunday p.m. for a fish fry. Wednesday Julia Ross went to the Eastland nursing home to visit Edith Hull.

D.W. and Georgia Curtis of Fort Worth visited his parents, Wilburn and Lucy Curtis. They all attended the Romney School reunion.

Lucille and Weldon Stillwell spent Thursday night with Marion and Marjorie West. They came down to attend the annual S. C. Steel reunion at Kirkland Lodge on Lake Brownwood.

June 28 the Star Brite band will go to

Brownwood to the Cross Country Nursing Home to put on a program celebrating anniversaries for the month of June.

A grandson and a granddaughter from Oklahoma are visiting Edith Bostick for a few days.

There was a large number of Senior Citizens at club Thursday. Everyone enjoyed a lovely lunch. There were two tables of domino players. The Star Brites had their regular band practice.

Roland Hassel is ill in the Gorman hospital. Roland, we hope for you a speedy recovery You and Tena were missed at club Thursday.

I have been out of town most of the week and did not get a recipe for our news column so I will share my recipe for Seven Day Sweet Pickles. Pickle season is here, so here goes-

#### Seven Day Sweet Pickles

(1) Soak cucumbers 48 hours in brine, made of 1 cup salt to 1 gal. boiling water. Pour over cucumbers to cover; use crock or plastic container.

(2) Wash cucumbers and pour boiling alum water, 2 tablespoons alum to 1 gal. water. Let stand 24 hrs.

(3) Wash and cut cucumbers and make new alum solution as above of alum and boiling water. Let soak 24 hrs.

(4) Wash cucumber well. Make a syrup of equal parts of sugar and water. Pour boiling over cucumbers and let stand 24 hrs.

(5) Drain syrup off cucumbers, reheat to boiling and pour over cucumbers. Let stand 24 hrs.

(6) Drain syrup off and add as much sugar as at beginning and heat to boiling. Make a spice bag by taking 2 tablespoons of mixed

## Phone Purchase Saves

Four current 4-H members who are interested in agricultural careers may qualify this year for a \$500 scholarship and trip to National 4-H Congress donated by Dekalb AgResearch, Inc., DeKalb, Ill.

The agricultural careers scholarship program is designed to encourage 4-H members to pursue careers in agriculture, says John Blair, county 4-H program coordinator with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. Today's agriculture is a highly specialized, constantly expanding field, which encompasses more than 500 distinct occupations, ranging from farming and farm management to research and marketing.

Scholarship winners are chosen by the Extension Service, which conducts the 4-H program. Awards are arranged by the National 4-H Council, a not-for-profit educational organization supporting the 4-H program with private resources.

pickling spice and putting into a piece of cloth and tying; drop bag into hot syrup and pour over cucumbers. Be sure to keep the spice bag in pickles. Let stand 24 hrs.

(7) Now your pickles are ready to put into sterilized jars and pour the syrup solution boiling over them and seal.

These pickles seem to take a lot of time, but you only do a very little to them each day. They are worth your effort.

Marjorie West



Astros: Back Row: Steve Wilson, Donnie Alcorn, Joey Horton, Shane Horton, Kelly Driskill, Quent Clark and Donnie Horton; Front Row: Warren Tongate, Scotty Wilson and Scotty Ford; Not Pictured is Clifford Hall; Coaches: Jackie Bibby, Don Horton and O.T. Horton; Scorekeeper is Karmen Hall.

## Genealogical Society Meets

All members and persons interested in genealogy are invited to attend the West Texas Genealogical Society monthly meeting Monday, June 27, at 7 p.m. New members are welcome.

The program for the evening will be "How to Better Use the Library" by Lois Klinker, genealogical librarian, and will be held at the Jay-Rollins Library, McMurry College, in the Scarborough Genealogical

Section on the 2nd floor. The library is at S. 14th and Sayles Boulevard.

For further information, write P.O. Box 2307, Abilene, TX 79604, or call 915-672-6995 or 915-692-2487.

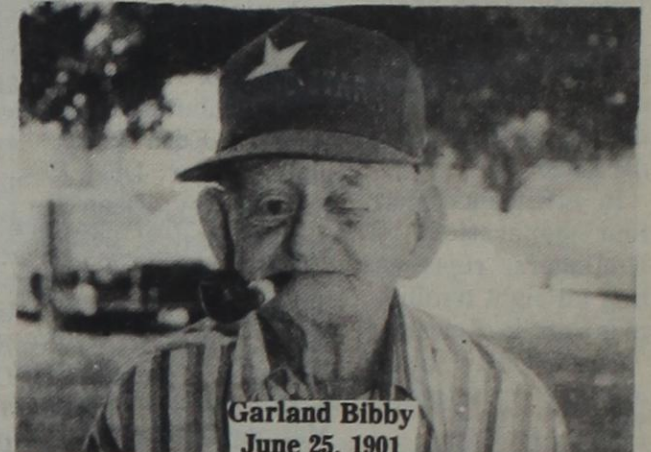
## Nursing Center Birthday Honorees

Not pictured  
Ruben Harper  
June 2, 1894

Not pictured  
Mamie Forehand  
June 8, 1894



Maggie Christian  
June 1, 1904



Garland Bibby  
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### Homes: Eastland, Ranger and Carbon

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A very attractive 3 bedroom, 2 1/4 bath frame home, separate living room and den with fireplace, detached garage and utility, central heat and air, beautiful patio and lot, \$82,000.

A 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath brick home in the prestigious Crestwood addition, large living area with fireplace, beautiful large lot. \$77,000.

A 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath brick home in exclusive area of Eastland, beautiful tree shaded lot, \$76,000.

In Ranger, a beautiful stucco 3 bedroom, 1 bath home, detached garage, storage buildings. \$39,000

A 2 bedroom (Could be 3), 1 bath older brick home, take up monthly payment of \$497.12 and assume loan \$35,600. Can be refinanced.

A 2 bedroom, 1 bath stucco with large lot. \$26,500. Beautiful yard, shop building.

In Gorman, 2 bedroom, 1 bath frame home, on 2 1/2 lots with separate garage and storage. \$30,000.

Close in! A 3 bed, 2 bath older home that has been remodeled. Fully carpeted, ceiling fan, fenced back yard. \$29,500.

Located in Carbon. A 2 bedroom home on one acre. Just like living in the country and only \$16,000.

We have a very nice 4 bedroom, 3 bath brick home on 3 lots. This home has everything most anyone could ever want in a home. Call for details.

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A 2 bedroom, 1 bath frame home, remodeled inside and out. Convenient to Jr. and High School. \$28,000.

A very nice 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick home with central heat and air. \$43,500.

A 2 bedroom, 1 bath frame home with detached garage and storage, new insulation, wiring and plumbing. \$22,500.

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New homes in the exclusive Oakhollow brick home addition. Call for appointment.

New on the Market! A 2 bed 1 bath home, formal dining area, central heat/air, carpeted, nice modern cabinets with dishwasher. \$35,000.

### Small Acreage With Homes

In Carbon, 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath, rock home on 4 acres, shop, barn, fruit trees. \$31,500.

Located in Kokomo, 14 1/2 acres, beautiful place for a house, city water and well. \$15,000 (will consider \$5,000 down, remainder at \$200 per month at 10% interest)

In Carbon, 9.3 acres with 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath mobil home (12x65) located on Highway 6, 52 pecan trees, 2 wells, beautiful place, \$33,500. (Will consider small down, remainder over 10 years, 10% interest)

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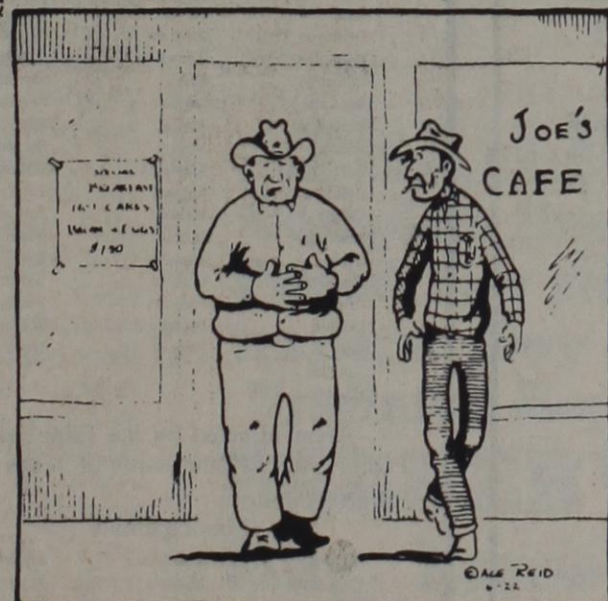
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# Area Reunions

## J.W. Emfinger Reunion

On June 5, 1983, family members, relatives and friends of the late J.W. Emfinger family held a reunion. Some 70 people joined together to celebrate the occasion, the first reunion since 1962.

Woodson Emfinger and Irene Heughley are the last two living children of eight of James Wesley and Virginia Lee Emfinger. Relatives from all far sections of Texas and from as far away as Alaska paid tribute to the ones named above and to the memories of those deceased.

In attendance were four generations of Emfingers, representing all eight families, plus a group of cousins.

The family plans another reunion in 1984.

Mrs. Bobbie Jo Blair  
Secretary

## Nunnally Reunion

The 34th annual reunion of the Nunnally families was held in the Activity Building of the First Baptist Church of Rising Star on June 11 and 12, Saturday evening and Sunday. We had 69 to register on both days.

Saturday evening we met for a lot of visiting, looking at pictures and have our pictures made again. We had a delicious sandwich supper with all the trimmings.

On Sunday we had the usual basket lunch with lots of good things to eat.

One of the highlights of our meetings each year is to see what has been added to "The Family Albums." One of our cousins and his wife, C.C. and Florence Nunnally of O'Donnell, have done a

marvelous job in getting this together. They are the ones who have done so much in keeping our meetings together. Each year Florence takes everyone's picture and also group pictures. We always look forward each year to seeing what has been added.

On Sunday a beautiful silver tray was presented to C.C. and Florence as a token of our love and appreciation for them. Many said this was the best reunion yet.

Registering from Rising Star were Ray & Eleanor Nunnally, Jamie & Jarrod Belk; Robert & Edra Butler, Jamie Butler; Duck & Ruby Bailey; Dean & Jeanine Bailey; Lottie Mae Roach; Franklin, Sharolyn & Laura Cox; Ethel Parker; Sbyil Parker; and David, Sara, Leslie, Allison & Matthew McGowen.

From Abilene, Wanda Siekman; Kathy Decker; Mary & Tom Curry; Les Havins; John & Jan Lineweaver; Alton & Jessie Nunnally; and Bob, Joy & Tia Nunnally.

Others in attendance were Florence & C.C. Nunnally of O'Donnell; Geneva Wallace of Ranger; Mae Claire Crownover of Comanche; Bob & Fran Roach of Dallas; Jack & Ann Roach of Fort Worth; Karen & Mia Allen and Mike Bell, all of Clyde; Eldon Roach of Brady; Pat, Justin & Jennifer Havins of Wasilla, Alas.; James, Christy, Scott & Shea Roach of San Angelo; Bill, Marie, Clifton & Clayton Nunnally of Los Alamos, New Mex.; Virgil Bowers of Anson; and Jerry, Linda, Mark & Chris Cottingham of Dallas.

Guests were Dr. H.K. Neely of Abilene, A.P. Smith of Rising Star and Luther &

Ruby Wilson of Ropesville.

## S.C. Steel Reunion

The descendants of the Rev. Sam Steel and his wife, Charity Lindley Steel, held their annual reunion at Kirkland Lodge at Brownwood Lake June 17, 18 and 19. Everyone reported a lovely time.

Fifty-five signed the register. The oldest member present was Oliver Steel of Brownwood and the youngest member present was Justin Hollis, 18-month-old son of Steve and Juanita Hollis. Justin is also the youngest grandson of Marion and Marjorie West.

Traveling the farthest distance were Norma and Wilson McCoy of Beaumont. Traveling the next farthest distance were Tom and Edith Steel from Houston. James and Thelma Steel and two of James' cousins, Ruth Shaw and Virginia Johnson, came down from Oklahoma to attend the reunion.

Some of the relatives enjoyed fishing nights at the pier. The bass were running fair. Weldon Stillwell of Fort Worth got the

largest one. We can't say that much for his mother, Lucille, and his aunt, Marjorie West. Theirs were smaller.

The same officers are to serve for another year. They are Charles Campbell, president; Harris Johnson, vice president; and Judy Howard, secretary-treasurer.

Food committee: Marjorie West, chairman; helpers, Lucille Stillwell, Mary Jane Steel and Jennie Fisher. Mary Campbell, who is wonderful kitchen help, was added to our list; this was her first year to help with the reunion.

The reunion will be held the third-Sunday weekend in June, 1984, at the same location.

It was great to see everyone present and hope those who were ill or otherwise hindered from coming will be able to come next time.

There were relatives from Fort Worth, Brownwood, Abilene, Crane, San Angelo, Arlington, Austin, May, New Mexico, Rising Star and probably others I did not get addresses.

Marjorie West



## 4-H Horse Club Plans Field Trip

The Rising Star 4-H horse group met Saturday night at 7:00 in the Ag room with plans to elect officers and plan a tentative calendar. Due to lack of participation, we decided not to elect officers at this meeting. However, we did make some decisions.

We plan to meet again on Friday, July 8, at 7 p.m. at the rodeo grounds. We plan to make the rodeo grounds our meeting place with two meetings a month and one meeting in June and September. Our horse project will last from April through September.

At our next meeting we will have a learning session on terms. We planned our first field trip, which will be attending the District 8 4-H horse show in Goldthwaite on June 28. We will leave about 7:30; anyone interested in going may call Shelly Bailey at 643-3888.

Those attending this meeting were Brian Bailey, Shannon Bailey, and Gina and Tracy Spencer.



T-Ball Mets: Back Row: Dean Sessums, Donnie Horton, Clint Goode, Jimmy Ayres, Trey Rutherford and Toni Hardurck; 2nd Row: Tanya Lancaster, Chris DeLong, Gary Robertson, Lisa Kay Palmore, Christy Hughes and Ernie Smith; Bat Front: Tony Goode, Amanda Rutherford, Terri Hardurch, Matthew McDaniels and Stephen O'Connor, Coaches: Jim Rutherford, Danny Hughes, Fenton Smith and Zandy Goode.



Tigers: Back Row: Becky Murphree, Wayne Larkin, Leigh Ann Webb, Kim Larkin, Terry Ware, Dewayne Schuab and Jason Tischler; 2nd Row: Toby Lindley, David Chambers, Junior Gomez, David Bronson, Tracy Chambers and Will Ezzell; Front Row: Ray Spencer, Heather Wright and Janette Tidwell; Coaches: Jesse Bilbrey, David Pollock, Randy McGinn, Earl Wright and Missy Gomez; Not Pictured: Randy Jones and Jesse Jackson.

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In compliance with Sec. 43(a) of Art. 1446c, V.A.C.S., West Texas Utilities Company hereby publishes NOTICE that it has filed, on June 10, 1983, its Statement of Intent to make changes in its retail rates charged for electricity and services sold and rendered inside and outside municipal jurisdictions, such proposed changes to be effective July 16, 1983. Such Statement of Intent includes the proposed revisions of tariffs and schedules and a statement specifying in detail each proposed change, the effect the proposed change is expected to have on the revenues of the Company and the classes and numbers of utility customers affected. Systemwide retail adjusted annual revenues are expected to be increased 11.4 percent by the new rates. Statements of Intent were filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas and with the following municipalities:

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Anson	Impact	Rankin
Aspermont	Iraan	Rising Star
Baird	Jayton	Rochester
Ballinger	Junction	San Angelo
Balmorhea	Knox City	Santa Anna
Benjamin	Lawn	Shamrock
Big Lake	Lueders	Sonora
Blackwell	Marfa	Spur
Bronte	Melvin	Stamford
Buffalo Gap	Memphis	Sterling City
Childress	Menard	Throckmorton
Cisco	Merkel	Turkey
Clarendon	Miles	Tuscola
Clyde	Munday	Tye
Cross Plains	O'Brien	Valentine
Crowell	Paducah	Wellington
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Areas affected by the filing with the Public Utility Commission of Texas are in the following:

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Coleman	Jeff Davis	Stephens
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**A's:** Back Row: Shannon Bailey, Howard Lawrence, Stacy Green, Derrick Green and Lee DeLong; Front Row: Willie Graham, Brandon Geye, Trey Bilbrey and Jason Jackson; Not Pictured is Jeffrey Medley; Coaches: Danny White and Ronnie Green.

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Classes will be held on July 28, August 4, 11 and 18th from 2-4 p.m. each day. Participants will sign up during the June 30th orientation meeting. Classes will be based on ready-to-wear construction techniques, including attaching the lining completely by machine.

## Obituaries .....

### W.N. Jenkins

Services for Winborn Nelson Jenkins Sr., 76 of Rising Star were at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at Higginbotham Funeral Home. The Rev. Dick Williams officiated. Burial was in Rising Star Cemetery.

Mr. Jenkins died Thursday morning at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Temple.

Born Oct. 1, 1906, in Ballinger, he married Thelma Dunlap Oct. 31, 1924, in Rising Star. He was a Navy petty officer in World War II and was stationed at Pearl Harbor. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Charles Downs of Brownwood; a son, Wilburn Jenkins Jr. of Livonia, Mich.; a brother, Thurman Jenkins of Odessa; four sisters, Mrs. Viola Phillips of Rising Star, Mrs. Christine Howe and Mrs. Johnnie Warren both of Euless, and Mrs. Mildred Sellers of Salina, Kan.; four grandchildren, Jan and her husband, Billie D., Teel of Brownwood, Ted Jenkins of Granbury, Kim Jenkins of Arlington, and Kelly Jenkins of Livonia, Mich.; and four great-grandchildren.

### Daisy Kizer

Daisy F. Kizer, 77, of Rising Star died at 12:50 p.m. Tuesday at Scott and White Hospital in Temple. Services will be at 4:00 p.m. Wednesday at Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Ray Green will of-

ficiate. Burial will be at May Cemetery.

Born April 30, 1906, she married Edgar Kizer January 17, 1924, in Durant, Okla. He died in 1981. She was a housewife.

Survivors include a son, Ralph of Rising Star; a daughter, Dorothy Schlenker of Rising Star; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

## RSISD Board Meets

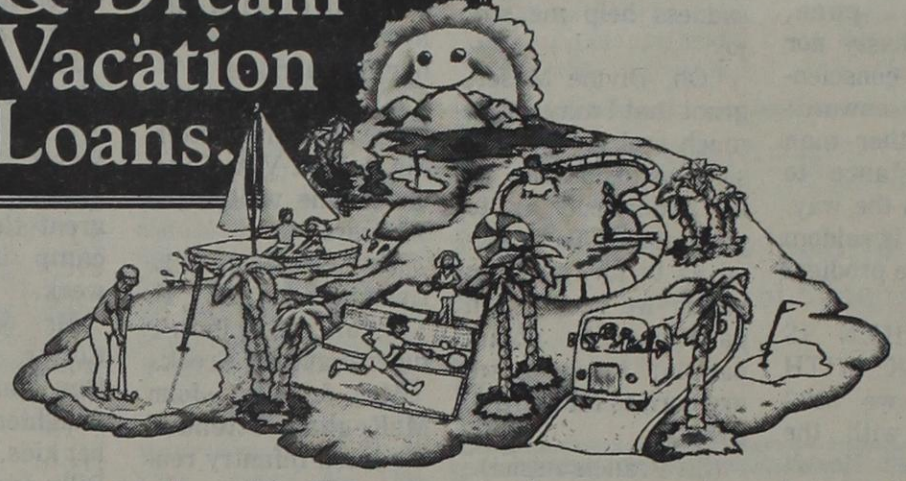
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by Superintendent: (a) Discussion ADA Fy 82-83 and Chapter II Funds. 7. Report of Instructional Progress by Superintendent and Principals. (a) Motion

by David Harris second by Jack Hubbard to accept the TABS report as presented. Motion Carried.

8. Report Special Committees: (a) Discussion (b) Motion by Terry Geye second by Joyce Baker that the surplus funds created in the school lunch and breakfast program be used for Fy 82-83 salaries: Motion carried.

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# Commentary

by Myrtle Owen

**HOW TO WALK WITH GOD:** "Be strong and of good courage, fear not, nor be afraid of them; for the Lord thy God, he it is who doth go with thee; he will not fail thee, nor forsake thee," Deut. 31:6. Oh, how marvelous! He, Himself, the Eternal, the Almighty God declares this same assurance to you and I. Do not be afraid, for He Himself will go with you!

**HOW DO WE WALK?** One must move along with measured pace, neither too hasty nor too slow, but conscientiously ever onward: allowing neither man nor circumstance to turn us from the way. Such a walk is seldom found in these prodigal times.

**WHAT THEN IS THIS WALK WITH GOD,** may we ask? This walk with the Eternal One? Hasn't He Himself promised to walk with us, but it is possible to walk with Him, the Everlasting God. This means not only to walk forward but to walk in step with Him. Such a measured walk with Him can be achieved only when there is an inner stillness, a quiet rest in Him. When disharmony occurs between your soul and the Living God, when sin comes between you and Him, you will no longer be in step with Him; you will either run ahead or fall behind Him. Amos 3:3 tells us: "Can two walk together, except they be agreed?" In other words, the first premise for walking in step with the Living God is to have become one with Him. One with the Holy One through the shed blood of the Lord Jesus

Christ. Then only are we ready to let Him set the pace in our walk through His work and by His will.

Oh that I may know Him and the Power of His Resurrection: "Lord, make me an instrument of Your peace: Where there is hatred help me sow love. Where there is injury help me sow healing. Where there is doubt help me sow faith. Where there is despair help me sow hope. Where there is darkness help me sow light. Where there is sadness help me sow joy.

"Oh, Divine Maser, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; To be understood as to understand; To be loved as to love; For in giving we receive, In pardoning we obtain pardon; In dying we are born to ETERNAL LIFE."

(St. Francis Assisi)

# Sipe Springs News

Mrs. Fannie Garrison and grandson of Fort Worth visited Mr. & Mrs. N.L. Leonard.

Mr. & Mrs. J.L. Struthswolf of Lake Jackson, Mr. Lewis Barton and son Dusty of Knickerbocker, Kevin Barton of Midland, Mark Barton of Girbin and Mr. J.E. Barton of Dublin visited this weekend with Mr. & Mrs. Ted Barton. They all attended the wedding of John Barton, son of Mr. & Mrs. Howard Barton. The wedding was at Bowie. They all had a great time. We wish the newlyweds a long and happy marriage.

Mr. T.A. Weaver is home and doing better. Mr. & Mrs. V.A. Cagel of Abilene visited the Weavers.

Mr. & Mrs. N.L. Leonard went to Theron Garrison's funeral at Stag Creek.

Mr. & Mrs. John McKeehan attended the 143rd Infantry reunion in Waco.

Mr. & Mrs. Jack Lacy of Lampasas visited her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Jack Whiteside.

Mr. & Mrs. John McKeehan and Mr. & Mrs. Q.W. McKeehan attended the funeral of W. E. Jenkins.

Clint Leonard of Alcoa, Wyoming, is visiting his father, Ronnie Leonard, and Mr. & Mrs. N.L. Leonard.

Visitors in the John McKeehan home this week were Mrs. Connie Little and children of Graham and Mrs. Carol Ann Clayton and boys of Angleton.

Mr. & Mrs. Jack Wyatt of Hico visited Mr. & Mrs. W.R. Wyatt.

Stacy Jones had a great time at church camp in Cisco last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Layne Cotter ate Father's Day dinner with their daughter, Elayne and her kids, Margaret and Billy Jack.

Terry Jones and Edward Millwee spent their weekend farming.

# Recipes Worth Collecting

## PINEAPPLE CREAM CHEESE SALAD

This recipe was submitted by Ina Roberts.  
1 8 oz. pkg. Philadelphia cream cheese  
1 large can crushed pineapple, drained  
1 cup sugar  
1 large carton Cool Whip  
1 cup pecans  
Soften cheese and cream well with sugar.

Add drained pineapple then Cool Whip and pecans. Mix well and chill.

# Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Butler visited Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Montgomery in Ponca City last week.

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Derwood Fussell  
Johnny Ray Markham  
Virginia Lee  
Don Ethan Rhodes  
David Matthew McGowen
- JUNE 29  
Wilma Jean Lasater  
Orlene Ware  
Shirley Shore
- JUNE 30  
Floyd Joyce  
Fred Butler  
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3. Only climb trees that are far away from wires... never climb utility poles, substation fences or transmission towers. Always keep away from fallen wires.
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# Homecoming

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# The Oil Belt News

THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 1983

## State Production Above 900 Million Barrel Figure

Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association reports that an 11th consecutive year of production at the maximum effective recovery rate in nearly all of Texas' oil fields kept 1982 petroleum production in the state above the 900-million barrel figure.

Avery Rush, Jr., chairman of the Dallas-based Association, says that figures compiled by its staff show the total petroleum output of

901,910,343 barrels included 871,780,379 barrels of crude oil and 30,129,964 barrels of condensate from wells in 214 of Texas' 254 counties.

Eastland County, which has had recorded production since 1917, last year produced 2,487,169 barrels of crude oil and condensate at the rate of 6,814 barrels per day. Production in 1982 boosted Eastland County's produc-

tion total through the end of the year to 132,594,726 barrels.

Crude oil and condensate production last year was 26.8-million barrels below the 1981 figure, a drop of 2.9-percent. This compares with a 3.3-percent drop in 1981 production from the year previous, Rush said.

Rush, of Amarillo, noted that this percentage of drop

of less than three-percent was the smallest in the last half-dozen years. He said he was encouraged by the continuing trend of a slowing in the rate of decline.

"The fact that 1982 production stayed above the 900-million barrels mark is attributable directly to the spectacular drilling boom in Texas during the last five years. We have drilled

almost 99,000 wells since 1977, with nearly 50,000 of them drilled in 1981 and 1982," Rush said.

"An economic and regulatory climate that will encourage a continuation of this high level of drilling activity is vital to the best interests of our state and nation. As the free world's economy continues to improve, the demand for

petroleum energy will increase. This need for more oil and gas is one that must be filled in significant measure by production from Texas wells," Rush added.

Also in a positive vein, 1982 production pushed the state's cumulative production total since 1866 to more than 47.5-billion barrels. However, for the 10th consecutive year, crude oil and condensate production in the nation's No. 1 energy-producing state was down after peaking at nearly 1.3-billion barrels in 1972.

Last year, 19 counties in the state produced more than 10-million barrels of crude oil and condensate, down from 21 in both 1980 and 1981. The following listing shows 1982 production figures for the state's five top producing counties, all with production in excess of 39-million barrels.

Pecos, third last year and fourth in 1980, became the state's top producing county while Yoakum, the 1980 leader, held second place for the second consecutive year. Last year's leading producer, Gaines, dropped to third. Ector, which held third place for six consecutive years from 1975 to 1980, remained in fourth place for the second consecutive year. Gregg retained the fifth place ranking it has held since 1980.

1. Pecos - 50,711,326
  2. Yoakum - 48,442,386
  3. Gaines - 47,522,004
  4. Ector - 45,958,036
  5. Gregg - 39,240,456
- The remaining top producing counties include the following:
6. Hockley - 39,120,433
  7. Andrews - 39,057,555
  8. Scurry - 31,731,929
  9. Crane - 26,865,582
  10. Refugio - 23,523,691
  11. Burleson - 18,034,710
  12. Wood - 17,888,434
  13. Rusk - 15,139,003
  14. Terry - 14,375,681
  15. Howard - 13,475,093
  16. Upton - 11,164,366
  17. Cochran - 11,073,950
  18. Lee - 10,789,193
  19. Kent - 10,525,205

Montgomery, which was No. 16 last year, and Brazoria, which was No. 17, were the only two counties to leave the 10-million-plus listing.

Gregg, the first Texas county to produce more than two-billion barrels of crude oil and condensate in the history of recorded production, remains the all-time leader with cumulative total through 1982 of 2,812,400,388 barrels. Ector, through the end of last year, had produced 2,397,529,526 barrels, while Andrews had

produced 2,054,626,749 barrels as of Jan. 1, 1983.

With Hockley joining the list for the first time, other counties with cumulative production in excess of one-billion barrels include the following:

4. Rusk - 1,676,075,526
5. Scurry - 1,655,662,922
6. Crane - 1,374,489,475
7. Yoakum - 1,369,982,963
8. Gaines - 1,331,796,013
9. Harris - 1,263,535,826
10. Brazoria - 1,174,779,003
11. Pecos - 1,168,794,114
12. Refugio - 1,116,708,105
13. Hockley - 1,007,789,266

## Plans Revealed To Drill In P. Cameron Field

Chase-Mann Petroleum Inc. of Ft. Worth has revealed plans to drill a 4,000-foot developmental well in the P. Cameron Field. The operator has 93-acres leased, with drillsite in Eastland County's H&TC RR Co. Survey, Sec. 42, Blk. 4 and has designated the venture as the No. 1 B. McGough. Drillsite is four miles northwest of Eastland.

Location has been staked by Ridge Oil Co. of Breckenridge for a 3,750-foot developmental probe in Eastland County's REB Field, four miles north of Eastland. The well is designated as the No. 2 Tankersley "A". Drillsite will be in a 70-acre lease in the H&TC RR Co. Survey, Sec. 15, Blk. 4.

Flowing natural gas at the rate of 93,000 CF per day on a 3/4-inch choke, the No. 3 White is a successful new developmental well in Eastland County's Lee Ray Field. P&R Oil Inc. of Eastland is the operator.

The well exhibited absolute open flow potential of 95,100 CFD. Location is in a 332-acre lease in the H&TC RR Co. Survey, A-1913, about six miles northwest of Eastland.

After entering the pay zone at 3,872 feet, the well bottomed at 4,135 feet and will produce from a set of perforations ranging from 3,880 to 3,906 feet into the hole.

George Harris of Abilene has filed for permit to drill a 1,650-foot wildcat for oil or gas eight miles northeast of a Rising Star, in Eastland County's John Sapp Survey, No. 34. The explorer will be known as the No. 1-A-S Agnew. The operator has 20-acres under lease.

The No. 1 C.E. Graham, a developmental well in Eastland County's JMJ Field, is scheduled to be drilled eight miles northeast of Cisco. Richey & Company Inc. of Ft. Worth is listed as the operator. Location is in a 100-acre lease in the H&TC RR Co. Survey, A-222. Projected total depth is 4,300 feet.

A 500-foot wildcat for oil or gas is planned by Gro-Tex Inc. of Paducah at a drillsite two miles northeast of Dothan, Eastland County. The location is in a 390-acre lease in the TE&L Co. Survey, A-520. Well's designation is the No. 2 Jobe.

Southwestern Energy of Burleson has revealed plans to drill a 650-foot developmental probe in the Eastland Regular Field, three miles north of Scranton. The well will be located in a 76-acre lease in Eastland County's B.B.B. & C. RR Co. Survey, Sec. 2, Blk. 2 and is to be designated as the No. 1 Jewell.

At a location seven miles west of Cisco, N.T. Apple of Merriam, Kansas has completed the No. 19, 21, 22 and

23 Roy Adams, four new oilers in the Eastland Regular Field.

Drillsites were in a 160-acre lease in Eastland County's W.W. Sublett Survey, A-1193.

The wells each showed potential for pumping 10 barrels of crude oil per day, all on open chokes. Total drilling depths ranged from 428 feet to 459 feet, with pay zones being logged between 360 and 422 feet. Each was perforated for production with intervals ranging between 360 and 450 feet.

Location has been staked by Hanvey Production Co. of Dallas for a 4,300-foot wildcat in Eastland County. The explorer well will be known as the No. 1 Hanvey-Scott. It is in a 40-acre lease in the SPRR Co. Survey, Sec. 503, five miles northwest of Cisco.

Westrock Co. of Grand Prairie has filed for permit to plug-back, for shallower pay, at the R.E. Harper, in the Eastland Regular Field. The well is in a 160-acre lease in Eastland County's O.P. England Survey, A-578, two miles southwest of Ranger and has a proposed total depth of 3,300 feet.

Pumping 34 barrels of crude per day, a new producer has been finalized in the Ranger Field by Ridge Oil Co. of Breckenridge.

The location is in a 440-acre lease in Eastland County's HT&B RR Co. Survey, Sec. 127, five miles northwest of Ranger. Well's designation is the No. 2 Earnest.

Total drilling depth was 3,750 feet, with the pay zone being entered at 3,400 feet. The well was perforated to produce from an interval 3,402 to 3,505 feet into the hole.

A wildcat for oil or gas is scheduled for spudding one mile northeast of Gorman by N.L. Apple of Lewisburg, Kansas. The well will be known as the No. 2B Wesley Warren, with projected total depth of 800 feet. It will be situated in a 160-acre lease in Eastland County's H&TC RR Co. Survey, Sec. 3, Blk. 1.

The No. 7A Starr, a developmental try in Eastland County's Scranton Field, is scheduled to be spudded two miles south of Scranton. With projected total depth of 2,000 feet, the well will be in a 5-acre lease in the William J. Morgan Survey, A-375. J.J. Johnson of San Angelo is the operator.

Van Oil Corp. of Duncanville has posted first production data for the No. 107 J.S. Brown, a new gas well located in the Fair Field, nine miles south of Ranger. Drillsite was in a 120-acre lease in Eastland County's McLennan County School Land Survey, A-368.

With total depth of 3,393 feet, the well entered the pay zone at 3,252 feet and will produce from an interval 3,252 to 3,266 feet. It showed potential for 117,000 CF gas per day on a 1-inch choke. Absolute open flow was rated at 130,000 CFD.

Snow Oil Co. of Ft. Worth has filed for permit to drill the No. 2 Henderson, a 4,000-foot developmental try in the Snow Field, six miles north of Eastland. The operation will be in a 160-acre lease in Eastland County's H&TC RR Co. Survey, Sec. 8, Blk. 4.

A new oil producer in Eastland County has been finalized by MHM Oil Inc. of Crowley. Designated as the No. 4 Oma Mae, the well indicated capacity to produce

## March Figures Down

### 14.35% From Last Year

Railroad Commission Chairman Mack Wallace announced that Texas oil and gas wells produced 452,822,019 Mcf of gas in March, down 14.35 percent from field runs a year earlier. That brings the total gas production for the year to date to 1,382,720,664 Mcf of gas.

Marketed gas production in March totaled 374,065,184 Mcf and reflected a 15.91 percent decrease from the March 1982 volume. Marketed production is the total gas to transmission lines, carbon black and plant fuel and lease use.

Gas exported from Texas in March totaled 198,782,437 Mcf. Exports of Texas-

produced gas in March totaled 151,310,472 Mcf, and reflected a 27.85 percent decrease from the year-earlier month.

Texas gas production in March came from 234,264 oil and gas wells.

In February 1982, Texas wells produced 432,402,219 Mcf of gas. Marketed gas production in February totaled 356,859,036 Mcf. February exports of Texas-produced gas totaled 152,870,188 Mcf.

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